

The ability to offer weather information via XM radio is especially helpful to those of us in sparsely located areas like the one we live in. Within 10 miles of our home you can "scan" with the car radio and not seize a signal from the traditional radio stations. XM is the answer to that, not only with weather and news but with a signal that is strong anywhere in our mountains. Please do not allow any powerful lobby with absolutely no interest in environments like mine to prevent us from receiving the needed information we are now able to receive with XM. Obviously I am not as concerned about traffic status in major metropolitan areas! It does, however, fall under the same principal in that this should be available to those who want to use it. I don't think the stations and owners the powerful lobbys are associated with will lose one cent of revenue or advertising.

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